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COMMENTS ON PROCEEDING # RM-11699

As a Extra Class license holder in the U.S. Amateur Radio Service for almost 17 years and also as a ARRL Official Observer for the FCC Amateur Auxiliary in my opinion allowing encryption of data on amateur radio is not a good idea and I see no reason for it. What does the gentlemen who has filed this proceeding need to transmit that he does not want the public to see? Also, from my experience as a Official Observer I am sure that if this were approved there would be people that would abuse it and be sending all kinds of offensive things via amateur radio! For this reason I am opposed to allowing the transmission of encrypted data over the airwaves using the U.S. Amateur Radio Service.

Respectfully,
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